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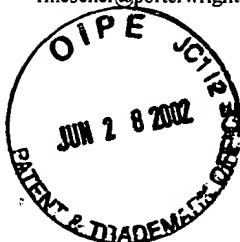
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Application No.: 09/936,001
Inventors: James Allen, et al.
Filed: September 6, 2001
For: APPARATUS FOR DETERMINING WHEN A PATIENT IS
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Dear Sir:

We have enclosed a Response and Authorization Re Deposit Account (in duplicate). We are also enclosing a Certificate of Mailing.

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Sir:

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE OF APPLICATION
UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 AND 37 CFR 1.494 OR 1.495

A Notice of Acceptance of Application Under 35 U.S.C. 371 and 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 was mailed March 18, 2002, indicating that an additional claim fee of \$5.00 was required. A copy is enclosed. Applicant encloses check No. 97041 in the amount of \$5.00 for the additional claim fee. Enclosed herewith is an Authorization Re Deposit Account (in duplicate) for any deficiencies.

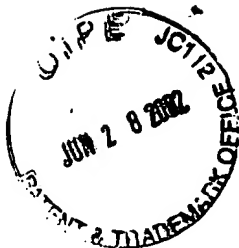
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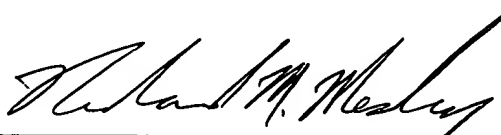
Please charge any deficiency in the fees for the above-referenced application to our
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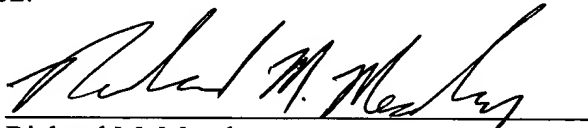

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NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE OF APPLICATION UNDER 35 U.S.C 371 AND 37 CFR 1.494 OR 1.495

The applicant is hereby advised that the United States Patent and Trademark Office in its capacity as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495), has determined that the above identified international application has met the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 371, and is ACCEPTED for national patentability examination in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

The United States Application Number assigned to the application is shown above and the relevant dates are:

02/20/2002
DATE OF RECEIPT OF 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(1), (c)(2) and
(c)(4) REQUIREMENTS

02/20/2002
DATE OF RECEIPT OF ALL 35 U.S.C.
REQUIREMENTS

A Filing Receipt (PTO-103X) will be issued for the present application in due course. **THE DATE APPEARING ON THE FILING RECEIPT AS THE " FILING DATE" IS THE DATE ON WHICH THE LAST OF THE 35 U.S.C. 371 REQUIREMENTS HAS BEEN RECEIVED IN THE OFFICE. THIS DATE IS SHOWN ABOVE.** The filing date of the above identified application is the international filing date of the international application (Article 11(3) and 35 U.S.C. 363). Once the Filing Receipt has been received, send all correspondence to the Group Art Unit designated thereon.

The following items have been received:

- U.S. Basic National Fee
- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of IPE Report
- Copy of references cited in ISR
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Oath or Declaration
- Preliminary Amendments

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The following defects have been observed:

- Additional claim fees of \$5 as a small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) for this application is \$5 for a small entity.

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is **\$5**
 - **\$5** for multiple dependant claims surcharge.

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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